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a first party to a second memory of a second party. The method comprises the steps of transferring money via a telecommunications line to the first party from the second party. Additionally, the method comprises the step of then connecting electronically via a telecommunications line the first memory with the second memory such that the desired digital signal can pass therebetween. Next, there is the step of transmitting the desired digital signal from the first memory with a transmitter in control and in possession of the first party to a receiver having the second memory at a location determined by the second party. The receiver is in possession and in control of the second party. There is also the step of then storing the digital signal in the second memory. —

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Page 12, delete line 17.

Page 13, after line 4, insert -- Claims -- .

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims.

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11. (Amended) A method for transmitting a desired digital audio [music] signal stored on a first memory of a first

party to a second memory of a second party comprising the steps of:

P1 transferring money electronically via a telecommunication line to [a] the first party at a location remote from the ~~second memory~~ and controlling use of the first memory from [a] the second party financially distinct from the first party, said second party controlling use and in possession of the second memory;

CX P1 connecting electronically via a telecommunications [link] line the first memory with the second memory such that the desired digital audio signal can pass therebetween;

P1 transmitting the desired digital audio signal from the first memory with a transmitter in control and possession of the first party to a receiver having the second memory at a location determined by the second party, said receiver in possession and control of the second party; and

P1 storing the digital signal in the second memory.

3 13. (Amended) A method as described in Claim 12 wherein the transferring step includes the steps of telephoning the first party controlling use of the first memory by the second

CS party [controlling the second memory]; providing a credit card number of the second party controlling the second memory to the first party controlling the first memory so the second party [controlling the second memory] is charged money.

4/18. (Amended) A method for transmitting a desired digital[,] video [or audio] signal stored on a first memory of a first party to a second memory of a second party comprising the steps of:

CS P1 transferring [a fee] money electronically via a telecommunications line to [a] the first party at a location ✓ remote from the second memory and controlling use of the first memory, from a second party financially distinct from the first party, said second party in control and in possession of the second memory;

P1 connecting electronically via a telecommunications line the first memory with the second memory [via a telecommunication link] such that the desired digital video signal can pass therebetween;

P1 transmitting the desired digital video signal from the first memory with a transmitter in control and possession of the first party to a receiver having the second memory at a location

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determined by the second party, said receiver in possession and control of the second party; and

P1 storing the digital signal in the second memory.

Claim 21, line 2, replace "charging" with

N -- transferring money -- .

622. (Amended) A method as described in Claim⁵ 21

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wherein the transferring step includes the steps of telephoning the first party controlling use of the first memory by the second party controlling the second memory; providing a credit card number of the second party controlling the second memory to the first party controlling the first memory so the second party controlling the second memory is charged money.

[Please add the following claim.]

23. A method for transmitting a desired digital signal stored in a first memory of a first party to a second memory of a second party comprising the steps of:

K selling electronically via telecommunication lines a digital signal possessed by the first party to the second party,

said first party and said second party in communication via said telecommunication lines;

connecting electronically via telecommunication lines the first memory with the second memory such that the desired digital signal can pass therebetween;

610 transferring electronically via telecommunication lines the digital signal from a first location with the first memory to a second location with the second memory, said second location remote from said first location, said first memory in communication with said second location via the telecommunication lines; and

storing the digital signal in the second memory.